1 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 7 8 EDUARDO CHAVEZ MENDOZA, Case No.: 1:23-cv-00350-EPG 9 Plaintiff, ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO 10 PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS v. 11 (ECF No. 2). COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY, 12 Defendant. 13 14 15 Plaintiff seeks judicial review of an administrative decision of the Commissioner of Social 16 Security denying Plaintiff's claim for disability benefits under the Social Security Act. Pending before 17 the Court is Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis. (ECF No. 2). Having reviewed the 18 application, the Court finds that Plaintiff has made the requisite showing under 28 U.S.C. § 1915 in 19 order to proceed in forma pauperis. 20 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma 21 pauperis (ECF No. 2) is GRANTED. The Clerk of Court is directed to issue the following: 1) a 22 Summons; 2) the Scheduling Order; 3) the Order re Consent or Request for Reassignment; and 4) a Consent to Assignment or Request for Reassignment form. 23 24 IT IS SO ORDERED. 25 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE 26 Dated: **March 14, 2023** 27

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